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FRIDAY, JANUARY 27.

CIRCULATION STATEMENT.

Dec. 1 ..2,929	Dec. 17..2,957
Dec. 2 ..3,000	Dec. 18..2,959
Dec. 3 ..3,004	Dec. 19..2,964
Dec. 4 ..2,956	Dec. 20..2,966
Dec. 5 ..2,949	Dec. 21..2,965
Dec. 6 ..2,921	Dec. 22..2,970
Dec. 7 ..2,921	Dec. 23..2,965
Dec. 8 ..2,927	Dec. 24..2,966
Dec. 9 ..2,933	Dec. 25..2,971
Dec. 10..2,992	Dec. 26..2,972
Dec. 11..2,934	Dec. 27..2,986
Dec. 12..2,938	Dec. 28..2,996
Dec. 13..2,951	Dec. 29..2,996
Dec. 14..2,952	Dec. 30..2,996
Dec. 15..2,952	Dec. 31..2,996

Total 79,950

Average for the month..... 2,961

Personally appeared before me
this day E. J. Paxton, general manager
of The Sun, who affirms that the
above statement of the circulation of
The Sun for the month of December,
1904, is true to the best of his
knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 22,
1908.

Daily Thought.

Prosperity is a great teacher; adversity is a greater. Possession pampers the mind; privation trains and strengthens it.—Hazlitt.

The Weather.

Fair tonight and Saturday.

A SHAMEFUL NECESSITY.

The News and Courier, of Charleston, S. C., says this of the Caleb Powers case, and of the necessity for Powers raising \$15,000 with which to defend himself:

A fund of \$15,000 is being raised in Kentucky by popular subscription to defray the expenses of a new trial for Caleb Powers, who was condemned to death for the part he is accused of playing in the murder of Goebel.

There are, of course, many people who believe that the life of Powers has been fairly forfeited under the law; but since a new trial has been granted it cannot be contended that this fact has been duly proved to the satisfaction of the members of the court of appeals of Kentucky. In these circumstances, the excessive cost of the litigation contemplated may well set people to thinking. Few men on trial for their lives might count upon money being raised by popular subscription to obtain justice for them. Equally so, few men could individually provide \$15,000 for their own defense, whatever the issue at stake.

It is no matter for the moment whether Powers is innocent or guilty. The thought that so much money is necessary to protect him in his rights, whatever they may be, is a sad commentary upon the administration of law in Kentucky.

It is remarkable that anyone could have ever believed for a moment the silly stories published about former Governor W. S. Taylor going to Des Moines, Ia., to take part in a "mock trial" of himself. The whole yarn seems to be an ingenious scheme for advertising the mock trial. If former Governor Taylor undertook that trip he would run the risk of being arrested at any moment after he left Indiana. He is doubtless not anxious to do anything so foolish.

"Has anyone a right to run an ill-smelling, unhealthy stockyard, filled with odoriferous, squealing hogs and bellowing cattle, right in the heart of the city?" asks a "constant reader." Yes, dear reader, some people in this

town have a right to do anything, it seems. What you have a right to do depends on who you are. If the stockyard injures the health of your family you are probably expected to put your house on rollers and move it to some other part of the city.

"The mills of the gods grind slowly," but the Hargis-Callahan clique may be brought to justice, after all. Still, in view of the ability of these gentlemen to obtain pardons for their friends, relatives and political allies, who can say that if the worst comes to the worst, they couldn't contrive to get pardons for themselves?

IN THE COURTS

Circuit Court.

Circuit Judge Wm. Reed will probably finish the jury cases by next Tuesday or Wednesday and the petit jury will be finally discharged.

This term, so far, has been very quiet and no big judgments have been returned except in one instance, the case of L. E. Stevenson against the I. C., where a verdict for \$25,000, the full amount, was given for the death of Lucy Stevenson at Dawson. A motion for a new trial has been filed but the court has not acted on it.

A judgment on county claim amounting to \$133 with interest, was filed for J. S. Jackson in the case of school district No. 26, against Ed. Hanson.

W. C. Gipson was given a verdict for \$57 against the Paducah Heating Co. His horse fell into a ditch and was killed.

M. A. Taylor who was injured on the hand by a saw while working in the Mergenthaler-Horton Basket Co., has received a verdict against the company for \$350 damages.

A judgment for sale was filed in the case of Mrs. A. Wurth against Ernest Doroux.

Sues the Postal.

Edwin Garland through his father, has filed suit against the Postal Telegraph Co. and Linemensa, wawh Telegraph Co. and Linemen J. W. O'Bryan, Thomas Clark and Tim Gilliam for \$5,300 damages. It is claimed that the boy was allowed to play around the company's pole yard and one day a pole slipped and broke his leg.

For Alleged Whiskey Selling.

Frank Hardesty, white, a barkeeper near the Alden Knitting Mills on South Eighth street, was arrested this morning by Officers Ferguson and Hurley on three bench warrants from Livingston county, where Hardesty is wanted, it is alleged, for illicit whiskey selling. He will give bond for his appearance.

To Sell Stock.

Trustee A. Y. Martin has filed a petition for sale of stock and fixtures of the bankrupts in the case of Dryfuss & Bro. The petition will be acted on February 8th.

County Court.

Gip Husbands, special commissioner, to M. H. Gallagher, for \$127, property on Third street.

R. G. Caldwell, assignee, to M. H. Gallagher, for \$254, property on Sixth street.

I. O. Walker was this morning appointed administrator of Salva J. Walker and guardian for Elma Dorris Walker.

Wants to Be Naturalized.

John Zeller, an Austrian, this morning applied for naturalization papers, desiring to become an American citizen.

Admitted to Poor Farm.

Oscar Wynn, colored, a carpenter, too old and feeble to work, was by request of the Charity club, taken to the poor farm yesterday afternoon.

We Are Missionaries.

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J. H. OENLSCHLAEGER
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PHONE 63

in the patrol wagon.

Licensed to Marry.

J. C. Roundtree, aged 32, and Mattie Johnson, aged 27, of Sharp, Marshall county, have been licensed to wed.

Sues For Crop of Tobacco.

Thomas and L. T. Herndon today filed suit in circuit court against C. Y. Taylor, a farmer of the county, to enforce the delivery of 4,000 pounds of tobacco at the price of \$212, and for additional damages of \$58. They allege he agreed to deliver the tobacco on or before Dec. 31, 1904, at a certain price, but instead held it. Tobacco has since gone up, and they claim they have lost by the delay in delivery, \$58.

Suit on Account.

Cecil Reed, administrator of Amanda Durrett, has filed suit against J. E. Ellithorpe for \$685.

Police Court.

Jim Welch, who seems to like romance better than anything else, "got his" in police court this morning to the tune of \$100 and costs, and 30 days in jail with prospects of being warranted for grand larceny or obtaining money by false pretenses.

"Here you are before me again," Judge Sanders remarked with every symptom of disgust in his speech, "arraigned for trying to beat people out of money by selling phony rings, worth about a cent a piece, which you get from \$1 to \$1.50 for. You have been arraigned for stealing and selling a watch and also for stealing a bridal off a horse on Broadway, and the Lord only knows what else. I believe you would rather lie and steal than to act decently, and I understand that in addition to what you are going to get from me this morning, you will be prosecuted for stealing the watch."

Welch, it will be remembered, stole a watch while in jail and sold it, but the owner securing his timepiece did not want to prosecute and Welch was escorted to the river and sent to Metropolis. He returned yesterday, got drunk, slapped Lee Duncan, a white boy, and began swindling people with his "phony" rings. Other cases were Boyd Manion, Herman Clements, Kid Willis and Jim Scott, colored, false swearing, former two continued and latter held over; Katie Powell and Dick Hill, colored, \$1 and costs for breach of peace; Homer Williams and Will Holden, colored, malicious assault and malicious cutting, continued. Williams was recognized for tomorrow morning.

Your pick and choice of any suit or overcoat in the store at manufacturers' cost, at Poage's.

SIGNED ORDINANCE

The Mayor Attached His Signature This Forenoon to Railway Grant.

Mayor D. A. Yeiser this morning signed the electric railway ordinance and some of the local stockholders will at once go to New York to arrange for financing the road. Mayor Yeiser states that he found that the court of appeals has held that any line of steam or electric cars over ten miles in length, connecting two cities, is a trunk line, and a franchise does not have to be sold.

Men's good strong suspenders, 25c kind, 15c, Poage's.

O. C. Boyd's Funeral.

Word has been received from relatives of the late Dock Boyd, near Hopkinsville, that they cannot attend the funeral and the remains will be buried from the Nance & Pool undertaking shops at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning. Interment at Oak Grove. It was learned last night that he has a sister near Hopkinsville.

Funeral Tomorrow.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Bettie Wilson, who died yesterday from bronchitis, will take place at her home, 439 South Fifth street tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, services by Rev. David Wright, of Grace Episcopal church, of which the deceased was a member. The burial will be at Oak Grove.

Births.

Born to the wife of Mr. Mike Waters, of 314 Monroe street, a fine boy baby.

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Saturday will be the last day that you can buy an Niv the great Blood Tonic, for 25c at DuBois, Kola & Co.

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ALLISON WILL

DOCUMENT FILED TODAY AND
ADMITTED TO PROBATE.Divides His Property Among His
Wife, Two Sons and Daughter.

The will of the late Henry C. Allison, dated January 4th, and witnessed by Judge D. G. Park and Mr. Alford Williams, was admitted to probate in county court this morning.

He leaves to his wife, Mrs. Mary Emma Williams Allison, the home place on Broadway near Ninth street during the remainder of her life, the place to go to her children after death.

Their two children, Henry C. Allison, he leaves 10 shares of stock in the Graves County Bank & Trust Co. and Robert B. Allison, 13 shares of stock in the First National bank at Fulton, Ky. To his wife goes all the household effects, etc.

To his daughter, Mrs. Lola Mankin, a child by a former marriage, he leaves one life insurance policy in the Equitable Co. His farm in McCracken county, on which Mrs. Mankin lives, he desires sold and the proceeds used in paying all just debts, and for distribution. The proceeds over the payment of debts shall go into his estate along with life insurance policies, except that left to Mrs. Mankin. Twenty shares of stock in the First National bank at Fulton he leaves to his wife.

The remainder of his estate shall be divided among his children except one-third, which is to go to his wife.

His wife is appointed executrix and guardian of the two children, and so qualified this morning. The amount of the estate cannot be estimated.

The will of Mrs. M. J. (Wilson) Thompson who died recently in Houston, Tex., but was interred here was filed for probate this afternoon in the county court.

The will was dated December 26, 1904, and was witnessed by Messrs. Noah Allen and J. D. Duckett, of Houston, Tex., and had to be sent there for sworn statements from the witnesses before it was probated.

She provided that her daughter, Mrs. Birdie Wilbur, take her remains, in case she died in Houston, to Paducah for burial and that expenses for the trip both ways shall be paid out of her estate later.

She appoints her daughter, Mrs. Wilbur, executrix without bond and directs that she have full control and management in every way without any interference from anyone in settling the estate.

She asks that her household effects be given to her daughter, Mrs. Birdie Wilbur, along with family relics, etc. She desired that all her effects and property be turned into cash and divided into four equal parts to be distributed as follows: One-fourth to her daughter Mrs. Wilbur, one-fourth to her son, James Thompson, one-fourth to be equally divided between daughters of her deceased daughter, Mrs. Mary Reed, and one-fourth to her daughter, Mrs. Georgia Hendricks.

Men's heavy Beccelined and halbrigan underwear, 50c quality, 20c at Poage's.

PROMINENT MEN

Are Indicted in the Notorious Dodge—Morse Case.

New York, Jan. 27.—The inquiry instituted by District Attorney Jerome and the grand jury into the famous Dodge-Morse divorce case has ended and announcement is made on have been found against six prominent men on a charge of subornation of perjury.

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Sick People.

Mrs. Jeanette Weille is better, her many friends will be pleased to learn. She has been ill for the past several days.

Mrs. Tom Potter, wife of the policeman, is ill.

Mrs. Phil Best, who has been very ill for the past week, is reported a little better.

A Double Tragedy.

Battle Creek, Mich., Jan. 27.—Harry A. Knickerbocker, a painter, shot and killed his wife in their home here and killed himself. Domestic trouble.

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for 10c
Apricots, a 25c can
for 10c

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UNUSUAL CASE.

Railroad Negro Arrested for Carrying a Pistol.

John Wesley Fuqua, colored, a railroader employed at the I. C. coal chute, is under arrest charged with carrying a concealed weapon, but may be released.

Fuqua came here from Puryear, Tenn., and is a peaceable, hard working negro. His father-in-law is a "bad man" he says who has been in the penitentiary five times and was only recently released. Fuqua's mother-in-law lives with him at his home on the south side and the father-in-law sent word that unless his wife came to him he would kill Fuqua.

Fuqua knew he meant business and provided himself with a small Gatling-gun-type of pistol and was prepared. The police heard of the affair and arrested him, but on recommendation of Detective Will Baker, who investigated the case, will probably release Fuqua but make him carry the pistol outside where it can be seen.

Judge Sanders stated this morning that he would look into the matter and decide what to do by tomorrow morning.

TO THE WEST AND SOUTHWEST, CALIFORNIA, ETC.

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Who ever heard of a fortune teller who was brave enough to tell a woman that she was going to be an old maid?